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To # 15: Pls have response prepared  
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WASHINGTON

June 19, 1985

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE VICE PRESIDENT

THE SECRETARY OF STATE  
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THE SECRETARY OF EDUCATION  
THE DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET  
THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE  
UNITED STATES REPRESENTATIVE TO THE UNITED  
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UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE  
CHIEF OF STAFF TO THE PRESIDENT  
ADMINISTRATOR, AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL  
DEVELOPMENT  
DIRECTOR, UNITED STATES INFORMATION AGENCY

SUBJECT: Central American Economic Development

Our recent discussion on Central American economic development underscored the scope and magnitude of the problems confronting us as we seek to improve regional security and economic prospects. I was encouraged by the range of imaginative ideas suggested at the meeting and urge each of you to give further thought to practical areas of assistance which your departments might be able to undertake within existing budget constraints.

We have an important obligation to ensure that one of the legacies of this Administration is improved prospects for peace, democracy and economic progress for the people of Central America. I ask all of you to help in this task. Please let me have your comments before the end of June.

Thank you.

*Ronald Reagan*



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The Director of Central Intelligence

Washington, D.C. 20505

National Intelligence Council

NIC-03300-85  
28 June 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

FROM: David B. Low  
National Intelligence Officer for Economics

SUBJECT: Memorandum to the President re  
Central American Economic Development

1. The attached memorandum to President Reagan is for your signature. It responds to his memorandum of 19 June asking for ideas to improve the economic situation in Central America.

2. In addition to our efforts on area security, I think we can contribute by monitoring closely business conditions in the area by periodically convening key U.S. business executives whose firms have operations there. Should you agree to this, I will  get suggestions for persons who would be useful in establishing such a high-level monitoring group.

David B. Low

APPROVED:

W. William J. Casey

28 JUN 1985

Director of Central Intelligence

Date

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Director of Central Intelligence

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28 JUN 1985

MEMORANDUM FOR: The President

SUBJECT: Central American Economic Development

1. I share the assessment in your 19 June memorandum that this Administration has an obligation to provide a legacy of improved prospects for peace, democracy, and economic progress in Central America.

2. Instability saps the focus and resources of the region's governments and makes the climate for policy reform more difficult. For our part, the Agency will continue to do all in its power to contribute to improving the security situation.

3. The key to future economic growth is a vital private sector functioning in a hospitable policy environment. Official assistance must be employed to leverage private funds. We will continue to assess business and economic conditions in the region, with a view toward detecting new developments and opportunities and monitoring the effect of Administration initiatives.

**7s/ William J. Casey**

William J. Casey



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